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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Patent Application No. 10/814,450
Filing or 371©) DATE: 3/31/2004
First Named Applicant: Samuel C. Evans

Subject: Petition to Make Special

Dear Sir:

This petition to make special the above referenced patent application is based the age and health of the applicant. The applicant will be 67 years of age as of August 26, 2006. Also, the applicant is a 100% disabled veteran.

In support of this petition to make special are:

1. A copy of the applicants passport giving the date of birth as proof of age.
2. A copy of the letter from the U. S. Veterans Administration declaring the applicant 100% disabled.

Further proof of either claim will be furnished upon request.

Thank you for any consideration you will give this petition to make special.

Sincerely,


Samuel C. Evans
Applicant

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August 27, 1998

In Reply Refer to: 316/271F
CSS - 297 32 8145

Samuels Evans
457 Arnold St. NE
Atlanta, GA 30308

Dear Mr. Evans,

Records in this office reflect that you are an American veteran of the Armed Forces of the United States and have been rated permanently and totally disabled under disability rating criteria established by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Sincerely,

T.J. Wheeler 649

T.J. WHEELER
Adjudication Officer
Enclosure

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Exhibit E